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TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.  
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cynthia A. Harding", written over the printed name of the Acting Chief Deputy Director.

SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO  
ACCEPT THREE NOTICES OF AWARD FROM THE CENTERS FOR  
DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION FOR ENHANCED  
COMPREHENSIVE HIV PREVENTION PLANNING**

This is to notify you that I am exercising the delegated authority approved by your Board on December 14, 2010, to accept future awards and/or amendments that are consistent with the requirements of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Notice of Award (NA) Number 1U65PS003270-01 for Enhanced HIV Prevention Planning (EHIV-PP) that extend the term of funding through September 29, 2014; and/or allow for the redirection of funds, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office.

On November 16, 2011, I notified your Board that I was exercising delegated authority to accept NA Number 1U65PS003623-01, in the amount of \$2,566,656, for the period of September 30, 2011 through September 29, 2012, which allowed the Department of Public Health (DPH) to implement Phase II of the EHIV-PP, now called Enhanced Comprehensive HIV Prevention Planning (ECHPP).

ECHPP funds are used to support the implementation of HIV prevention strategies identified during Phase I and the identification of coordinated HIV prevention, care, and treatment services that aim to reduce new HIV infections in Los Angeles County.

Under the delegated authority referenced above, DPH has accepted the following NAs:

- 1) Number 1U65PS003623-01 REVISED, issued October 13, 2011, which approves a revised budget for the period of September 30, 2011 through September 29, 2012, as requested by DPH on September 30, 2011;
- 2) Number 5U65PS0003623-02, issued July 19, 2012, in the amount of \$1,547,586, for the period of September 30, 2012 through September 29, 2013, the final year of this two-year award. The amount of the award reflects a reduction of funds across all funded jurisdictions as well as a Congressional Rescission of 0.189% percent; and
- 3) Number 1U65PS003623-01 REVISED, issued on September 27, 2012, which approves DPH's August 13, 2012 request to redirect \$542,042 within and between Salaries and Wages, Fringe, Supplies, Travel, Other, Contractual, and Indirect cost categories for the budget period of September 30, 2011 through September 29, 2012. All other terms and conditions issued with the original award remain the same and are in effect throughout the budget period. The redirected funds will enable DPH to: 1) place additional Community Embedded Disease Intervention Specialists (CEDIS) in areas with a high HIV and STD burden; and 2) enhance the HIV/STD prevention social marketing campaign targeted for those at highest risk for HIV/STDs through the expansion of Los Angeles County's condom distribution program, Erase Doubt campaign, and improvements to the online resource directory.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the NAs as to use and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

JEF:jl  
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c: Chief Executive Officer  
County Counsel  
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors